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TO: Interested Parties

FROM: Stefanie Nadeau, Director, MaineCare Services

SUBJECT: Emergency Rule: Chapter 101, MaineCare Benefits Manual, Chapter III, Section 2, Adult

Family Care Services

This emergency rule is being adopted pursuant to Public Law, Chapter 477, LD 1816, the Maine State Supplemental Budget passed by the 125th Maine State Legislature and signed into law by Governor Paul R. LePage on February 23, 2012, which directed the Department to reduce reimbursement of Adult Family Care Services by 10%.

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Notice of Agency Rule-making Adoption

AGENCY: Department of Health and Human Services, MaineCare Services

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ADOPTED RULE NUMBER:

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EFFECTIVE DATE: April 1, 2012

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10-144 Chapter 101 MAINECARE BENEFITS MANUAL **CHAPTER III**

SECTION 2 ADULT FAMILY CARE SERVICES

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Providers will be reimbursed the resource-adjusted price for each member according to the resource group the member is assigned as a result of the MDS-ALS assessment. The Department will reimburse updated resource adjusted prices twice each year upon reassessments as detailed in Chapter II, Section II. Providers must bill using the UB-92 and according to "Billing Instructions for Adult Family Care Services."

	Maximum
Description	Allowance
Adult Family Care Services	Resource-Adjusted Price, determined by Resource
·	group assignment as a result of MDS-ALS
	Assessment

The new rates listed below are effective April 1, 2012.

4-1-12

Resource	MaineCare	Resource Adjusted Price
Group	Weight	(Based on \$38.93 UnAdjusted
		Price Multiplied by
		MaineCare weight)
1	1.657	\$64.51
2	1.210	\$47.11
3	1.360	\$52.94
4	1.027	\$39.98
5	.924	\$35.97
6	.804	\$31.30
7	.551	\$21.45
8	.551	\$21.45